ABSTRACT

An apparatus is provided for displaying the state of wear of a brake lining on a vehicle. The brake lining wear display apparatus comprises a wear sensor for sensing the state of wear of the brake lining and a display for providing a visual signal indicating the brake lining wear state. An electronic control/evaluation system controls the display device. An electrical connecting device connects the wear sensor to the electronic control/evaluation system. The electronic control/evaluation system evaluates signals from the wear sensor and provides a signal to the display for generating the visual signal. A memory storage device stores a current wear state of the brake lining as well as previously sensed wear states. A power supply device provides power to the wear display device.